

Liam Hawthorne

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Highly skilled Senior Accountant with a proven track record in implementing financial systems and strategies that enhance accuracy, efficiency, and profitability. With experience in leading high-performing teams, I have successfully reduced operational costs by 15% and improved revenue projections by 30%. My expertise in ensuring regulatory compliance, streamlining reporting processes, and aligning financial planning with strategic goals positions me to significantly contribute to the financial success of my next organization.

CAREER EXPERIENCE

Senior Accountant • 01/2024 – Present

Quantum Ledger Solutions

- Orchestrated the implementation of a new financial forecasting model, improving the accuracy of revenue projections by 30% and enabling more informed strategic decision-making.
- Supervised a team of 7 accountants, fostering a high-performance culture that reduced month-end close times by 20% and improved the accuracy of financial reporting.
- Championed a company-wide cost reduction initiative, identifying inefficiencies and implementing changes that resulted in a 15% decrease in operational costs.

Financial Analyst • 03/2023 – 12/2023

Meridian Financial Advisors

- Managed the preparation and submission of quarterly and annual tax filings, ensuring 100% compliance with federal and state regulations and avoiding potential penalties.
- Implemented a new financial reporting system, streamlining the process and reducing the time taken to generate reports by 35%.
- Conducted in-depth financial analysis for key business units, providing insights that contributed to a 10% increase in profitability.

Junior Accountant • 11/2021 – 03/2023

Catalyst Investment Group

- Played a pivotal role in the successful completion of an external audit, coordinating with auditors and providing necessary documentation, resulting in a clean audit report.
- Developed and maintained a robust system of internal controls, significantly reducing the risk of financial misstatement and enhancing the integrity of financial data.
- Assisted in the development of annual budgets, incorporating strategic goals and objectives to align financial planning with company vision.

SKILLS

- Financial Forecasting
- Team Leadership and Supervision
- Cost Reduction and Efficiency Improvement
- Tax Preparation and Compliance
- Financial Reporting
- Financial Analysis
- Audit Coordination
- Internal Controls Development
- Budget Development
- Strategic Financial Planning

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Accounting

University of Richmond
2014-2018
Richmond, VA

CERTIFICATIONS

Certified Financial Services Auditor (CFSA)

04/2024
Institute of Internal Auditors (IIA)

Certified Fraud Examiner (CFE)

04/2023
Association of Certified Fraud Examiners (ACFE)

Certified Information Systems Auditor (CISA)

04/2023
Information Systems Audit and Control Association (ISACA)